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CHARLESTON, IL --"Tools of Teaching/Learning Mathematics" is the theme of the 24th annual conference of teachers of mathematics at Eastern Illinois University on Friday, March 20. Sponsors are Eastern, Illinois Council of Teachers of Mathematics, and regional superintendents.

Topics for discussion are computers, films, textbooks and research. Dr. Eugene D. Nichols, author and professor at Florida State University, will be the speaker following a 6:30 p.m. dinner in the University Union Grand Ballroom.

All participants, including elementary, secondary and college teachers, will attend the sessions from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Mathematics Department classrooms in Old Main.

There will be demonstrations and lectures by CREATIVE Programming, Inc., a computer enrichment program for elementary and junior high students. Computer sessions are also scheduled for secondary and college teachers.

Nichols is principal author of the Holt mathematics K-12 textbook series and was director of the project for mathematical development of children.

Registration is \$1 for the conference and \$7 for the conference and dinner. Registration should be made through the Office of Public Service and Development, 581-3817.